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30 January 2004

Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance 450 Fifth Street NW Washington DC 20549 USA



RE: BRAMBLES INDUSTRIES PLC Rule 12g3-2(b) Exemption (File No. 82-5205)

Dear Sirs and Mesdames,

The enclosed information is being submitted by Brambles Industries plc (the "Company") under paragraph (b) (1) (i) of Rule 12g3-2 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"). The Company's file number is indicated in the upper right hand corner of each unbound page submitted with this letter.

In accordance with paragraphs (b) (4) and (b) (5) of the Rule, the documents submitted with this letter are being submitted with the understanding that such documents will not be deemed "filed" with the Securities and Exchange Commission or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, and that neither this letter nor the submission of such documents shall constitute an admission for any purpose that the Company is subject to the Exchange Act.

Yours faithfully

Laura Jackson

Company Secretarial Assistant

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SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1) Name of company

Brambles Industries plc

2) Name of shareholder having a major interest

FMR Corp. and its direct and indirect subsidiaries, and Fidelity International Limited (FIL) and its direct and indirect subsidiaries

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18

Funds under management (Non beneficial)

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them

See list below

5) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

4,162,359

6) Percentage of issued class

Negligible

7) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

N/A

8) Percentage of issued class

N/A

9) Class of security

Ordinary shares of 5p each

10) Date of transaction

Not advised

11) Date company informed

29 January 2004

12) Total holding following this notification

80,220,613

13) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

11.08%

- 14) Any additional information
- 15) Name of contact and telephone number for queries

 Sandra Walters 020 7659 6039
- Name of authorised company official responsible for making this notification
 Sandra Walters, Assistant Company Secretary

Date of notification 30 January 2004

Nominee/Registered Holders	Management Company	Holding
State Street Nominees Limited State Street Nominees Ltd. Lloyds Bank Nominees Limited Chase Nominees Ltd. BT Globenet Nominees Limited Mellon Bank State Street Bank & Trust J P Morgan Nortrust Nominees Northern Trust Goldman Sachs and Co.	FMRCO FMTC FMTC FMTC FMTC FMTC FMTC FMTC FMTC	30,800 2,107,800 965,400 681,400 1,178,200 218,000 1,437,300 241,200 3,300 408,799 53,400
Morgan Stanley Trust Co. Nominees Limited Bank MSS Nominees Limited	FMTC FMTC	2,200
Bank of New York Rights & Co. Chase Manhattan Bank London Bank of Butterfield	FMTC FMTC FISL FPM	227,700 50,000 11,143,000 44,200
Chase Nominees Ltd Northern Trust Bank of New York London	FPM FPM FPM	2,726,600 1,420,700 773,800
Deutsche Bank Citibank HSBC	FPM FPM FPM	73,300 510,000 767,700
HSBC Client Holdings Nominee (UK) Limited Chase Manhattan Bank London Northern Trust	FIL FIL FIL	26,642,000 2,596,399 4,261,700
State Street Bank & Trust Bank of New York London Chase Nominees Ltd Nortrust Nominees Ltd	FIL FIL FIL FIL	1,940,872 3,744,896 4,215,100 2,173,400
Deutsche Bank Citibank Clydesdale Bank (Head Office) Nominees Limited	FIL FIL FIL	2,173,400 2,790,787 171,500 1,195,300
Mellon Nominees Ltd Bank of New York, Brussels Northern Trust London Master Trust Bank of Japan Japan Trustee Svcs Bk Lt National Australia Bank	FIL FIL FIL FIL FIL FIL	140,700 739,100 374,900 34,300 17,300 96,400

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JP Morgan	FIL	2,019,900
ING Luxembourg	${ t FIL}$	32,860
Bermuda Far East	FIL	37,300
Chase Nominees Ltd (Australia)	FIL	71,600
Bankers Trust	FIL	185,100
Mitsubishi Trust	FIL	12,400
Chuo Trust Bank	FIL	14,900
State Street Nominees Ltd	FIL	444,200
Morgan Stanley	FIL	657,900
PICG	FIL	9,400
Chase Manhattan Bank AG Frankfurt	FIL	169,900
State Street Hong Kong	FIL	11,700

- NB FMRCO = Fidelity Management & Research Company, of which FMR Corp is the parent company

 - FPM = Fidelity Pension Management, of which FIL is the parent company
 - FISL = Fidelity Investment Services Ltd, of which FIL is the parent Company